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DECLARATION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.132

I, James D. Mollenkopf, declare as follows:

1. I am correctly named as the sole inventor of the above-identified patent application.
2. I am familiar with the above-identified patent application and the claims now pending before the U.S. patent office.
3. I understand that the claims in the above application have been rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 102(e) as being anticipated by U.S. Application No. 2004/0135676 to Berkman *et al.* ("the '676 application").
4. I am correctly named as a co-inventor in the '676 application
5. I am the inventor of the subject matter claimed in the present application that is also disclosed in the '676 application.

6. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information or belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or by imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful statements may jeopardize the validity of the application, any patent issuing there upon, or any patent to which this verified statement is directed.

Respectfully submitted,



James D. Mollenkopf

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